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NEWRY TOWN MEETING SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY, MARCH 6

The annual Newry Town Meeting will be held at the Bear River Grange Hall, Monday, March 6, at 7 p. m. The proposed budget for 1978, for accounts other than schools, totals \$28,846.44, compared to \$22,133.44 for 1977. This increase will be largely offset by use of \$3,063.14 in Tree Growth monies, an increase of \$1,684.86 in 1977 tax monies over 1976, and an increase in Federal Revenue Sharing and Anti Recession funds. The largest increase in the budget is in the Roads and Bridges and Tarring Roads accounts, due to increased costs and the fact that these accounts showed a larger unexpended balance last year than this.

Figures for the school account will not be available for some time. An 85% increase in State valuation, which is much larger than other towns in the area will make the percentage of the budget which Newry pays higher than last year. Since the Town is on a Jan. 1-Dec. 31 fiscal year, and the School District is on a July 1-June 30 year, any change in the school budget will only affect the last six months of the year. It is not known at this time what effect repeal of the State Uniform Property Tax will have on 1978 taxes. The Uniform Property Tax for 1977 was \$32,375.

Nearly all of the articles in the warrant are routine articles. Two, placed by request, are to see if the Town will vote to turn the Snowmobile Tax Refund over to the Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, to be used for building and maintaining snowmobile trails. Snowmobiles are registered by the State, and \$6 of each fee is returned to the Town in lieu of local taxes. Another is to see if the Town will vote to plow Senior Citizens driveways, to be paid for from the automobile excise taxes. Another article is to see if the Town will vote to maintain the small private cemetery at Newry Corner.

To be elected are the following officers: three Selectmen, Assessors, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Road Commissioner each for one year terms; and a School District Director for three years. Newry does not use the Australian ballot. Candidates are nominated from the floor, then

M. S. A. D. #44 BOARD TO MEET AT TELSTAR NEXT MONDAY EVENING

A regular meeting of the board of M. S. A. D. #44 will be held in the library at Telstar Regional High School next Monday evening at 7:30.

Action will be requested on a resignation of a member of the non-certified staff, as well as a proposed change in the by-laws of the Maine State School Boards Association.

Decisions of the board will be sought on the matters of: appointment of a Telstar High School drama coach for the balance of the current school year; posting of the kindergarten vacancy at Ethel Biebee School for the 1978-79 school year; elimination of one second grade teaching position at Ethel Biebee School.

Initial approval by the Directors of proposed policy changes recommended by the Board's Policy Committee will be sought.

The Board's Negotiating Committee is recommending that an executive session to discuss matters pertaining to negotiations be the last business item of the meeting.

BETHEL MAN AWARDED LIFE MEMBERSHIP IN KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

At a social evening held at K. of P. Hall, Hanover, last Friday, Feb. 17, Wallace E. Saunders of Elm Street, Bethel, was awarded life membership in the order of Knights of Pythias. The 50 year membership certificate and pin were presented by Past Grand Chancellor, Edward H. Glover. Mr. Saunders joined the Hanover Lodge on Jan. 21, 1928.

Mr. Saunders, a former Hanover resident, was educated in the Hanover schools, Gould Academy, and the Teacher's College at Gorham. He taught Industrial Education for several years in Houlton and vicinity and retired to supervise his family's dower manufacturing plant known as the Hanover Dowel Company, in Bethel, where he and his wife, Frances, and their family are well known.

ballotting is done. At this time there are no announced candidates, but it is believed that a majority of the present officers will be available for reelection.

FINAL OUTING CLUB LECTURE AT GOULD TONIGHT (FEB. 23)

Tonight (Thursday, Feb. 23) Ned Therrien will present an illustrated lecture entitled "Down North—a 1200 Mile Canoe Venture From Great Slave Lake to the Arctic Ocean on the Mackenzie River." This area of Canada is still very much frontier and sparsely populated. Wildlife abounds and the vegetation ranges from dense spruce forests to wide open tundra. The Mackenzie River has always been used as an exploration and trade route for the French and later on the English trappers and fur traders. This will truly be a most interesting program that will appeal to people of all ages. Therrien is the Information Officer of the White Mountain National Forest and a member of the Appalachian Mountain Club. He has had extensive outdoors experience all over North America.

The lecture will be given at 8 p. m. in Bingham Hall Auditorium and the public is cordially invited. There is no admission charge.

BETHEL WOMAN'S GRANDSON QUESTIONS PRES. CARTER

For Mrs. Alice Howard, a Sudbury Village resident on Evergreen Road in Bethel, President Carter's New England visit last week had a special meaning. While President Carter was being questioned by reporters at a Rhode Island stop, Mrs. Howard saw her grandson, John Day, a Bangor Daily News Washington correspondent, appear on her television as he asked the President a question concerning Maine's Indian land problems. Day, who has been stationed in Washington for the Bangor paper since last fall, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Day of Harrison.

FASHION SHOW SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY, MARCH 11

Plans are shaping up and so are the models for the annual fashion show, Spring Fling, presented by the Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital from 2 to 4 on Saturday, March 11. The Bethel Inn will host the show. In its beautiful South Dining room where models will be showing fashions from The Cellular.

Tickets may be purchased at the Cellular or from committee members Claire Snyder, Barbara D. Brown, Barbara H. Brown, and Carolyn Brooks. Support your local hospital. Get a group together for a fun afternoon.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING MARCH 2 TO FEATURE EARLY MUSICAL INSTRUMENT-MAKING

Featured at the monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held on Thursday, March 2 in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House will be a film entitled "The Musical Instrument Maker of Williamsburg" which will focus on the construction of a spinet, which is a small harpsichord and a violin, a popular instrument in early American. Music was an important part of the life of the American colonies. The harpsichord was in vogue (as the predecessor of the piano) and making one was within the capacity of an able cabinetmaker. Raw materials for its construction could be found and repairs were possible to those already in existence.

The film, part of a series on colonial crafts, documents the many stages of construction of a spinet and a violin. The spinet begins with the bent side which evolves into a case. The keyboard, jacks, and stringing are the subjects of dozens of sequences as each part is hand made and fitted. A violin is begun by bending

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Nomination papers for individuals interested in running for local public office can be obtained at the Town Office from Town Clerk Merton Frown. Papers must be completed and returned to the Town Clerk by next Monday, Feb. 27. Officers to be elected are two Selectmen for three year terms, two Assessors for three year terms and two School Directors for three year terms.

The Budget Committee met Thursday, Feb. 16 and completed their review of the 1978 proposed budget. A listing of warrant articles together with the recommendations of the Budget Committee will be presented in next week's column.

The Board of Selectmen met Wednesday evening, Feb. 22, to consider articles for the Annual Meeting Warrant. There was considerable discussion and the manager was directed to provide additional information in a couple of areas. The Selectmen on a split vote decided not to include an article concerning the possible purchase of a sidewalk snowplow.

The Board of Selectmen will meet Monday evening, Feb. 27, in regular session. Agenda items will include: further discussion of the Town Meeting Warrant, review of Tax Anticipation Note bids, discussion of Ambulance attendants pay arrangements, consideration of a Water District Trustee appointment, and a review of the Airport Master Plan Study status.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

CHILD HEALTH CONFERENCE SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

A Child Health Conference has been scheduled for Wednesday, March 1, from 9-11 a. m. on the lower level of the Gould Academy Infirmary, Church Street. Dr. Whitney, a pediatrician, will be the attending physician.

Any preschool child from two months of age through five years may attend and participate in any one of the following: (1) Physical examination; (2) Height, weight, and blood pressure measurement; (3) Simple urinalysis; (4) Hematocrit and lead testing available to children who are at risk; (5) Vision and hearing screening; (6) Growth and developmental questionnaire.

If you have a preschool child and would like to attend the Child Health Conference, please contact the Public Health Nurse, Kathleen Sutton in the Rumford office at the following toll-free number, 1-800-482-0702. She will set up time and determine what immunizations your child may need, if any. The following immunizations will be offered: DPT, Polio, mumps, measles, Rubella, combined measles, or Rubella-mumps-measles and tuberculin skin testing.

Brief sequences in an 18th century setting show performances on the completed instruments. Post-production recordings of the instruments are heard throughout the film.

This film should be of interest to musicians and craftsmen but also those concerned with life in the past will find it an enjoyable and enriching experience.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Barker, Dennis, Donald and Debbie, have returned home following several days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burris, Deland, Fla. Little Danny was guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Currier, while his family was away.

ANDOVER NEW ENGLAND BOILED DINNER

Sat. Feb. 25 6 p. m.
Christian Education Building
Adults, \$2.00 C. U. 10, \$1.25
Men of 1st Cong. Church

STANDARD FIRST AID COURSE

Starting March 8th
Telstar Regional H. S.
Time: 7 o'clock
8 wks.
Cost \$3.50

DO YOU NEED DAY CARE FOR YOUR PRESCHOOLER?

The West Bethel Children's Center has several openings. If your child is between the ages 3 and 6, please contact us at 836-3700.

TELSTAR CHEERLEADERS WIN DIVISION II STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

The Telstar competition cheerleaders coached by Mrs. Ellen Durgin won the State Division II Cheerleading Championships held last Saturday at the University of Maine-Orono. Teams from all over the state were represented at the competition. Members of the squad are: Manya Dombkowski, Priscilla Webster, Rachel Cummings, Mike Friel, Billy Shimamura, Jody Haines, Jane Hathaway, Dawn James, Suzette Wing, and Anne-Marie Saunders.

LOCAL POLITICIANS HAVE UNTIL MONDAY TO FILE

With two selectmen, two assessors, and two members of the M. S. A. D. #44 board of directors scheduled to be named by Bethel voters Monday, March 20, any local citizens desiring to have their names on the ballot have until Monday, Feb. 27, to file nomination petitions with the Town Clerk. All of the offices to be filled are for three year terms.

As far as is known only three people have indicated an intent to appear on the ballot. John T. Grover is a candidate for both the selectman and assessor vacancy, while incumbent Paul Bodwell and David B. Brown seek the pair of school directorships.

NTL WINTER PROGRAM AT BETHEL INN THIS WEEK

NTL Institute will be conducting a winter program in Bethel starting this coming week end. Dates of the Human Interaction Lab, to be held at the Bethel Inn, are Feb. 26-March 4. There will be a total of 35-40 participants and staff members in residence, most of whom will be seeing Bethel for the first time. Rich Lippincott, who has been a staff member in NTL's summer programs for the past two years, will be the dean of the coming session. He is an avid skier and looks forward to taking advantage of Bethel's winter sports opportunities, as do many of the participants and other staff.

BETHEL ROTARY CLUB TO SPONSOR WINTER RACES FOR KIDS ON MARCH 12

Sunday, March 12, is Kids Day for the Bethel Rotary Club's Winter Races which will be held at 1:00 p. m. on the Gould Academy Field. Entry forms will be given out to children in the S. A. D. #44 school system. The races are for children ages five through 12. Ribbons will be awarded for first, second and third places. The events will be Cross Country, Downhill Skiing, Ski Dash, Obstacle, Saucer, and Three Legged. All applications must be in no later than March 10.

AT CARNIVAL BALL—Festivities of Telstar Regional High

School's annual carnival closed at the ball last Saturday evening where the crowning of Jerry Verrell as King (left) and Rhonda Cummings as Queen took place. Results of the interclass carnival were as follows: first place; seniors with 845 points; juniors with 828 points; freshmen with 713 points and sophomores with 705 points.

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WATER MAIN REPAIR ON PARADISE STREET—Bethel Water District employees with this excavating equipment have been working this week to repair a leaky water main on Lower Paradise Street. The leak became evident on Tuesday when flooding

occurred in the Paradise-Evergreen Road area. Several feet of the main were dug up before the trouble was found and repairs made. Customers on the street were without water approximately 24 hours prior to restoration of service late Wednesday afternoon.

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West Bethel

— Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres. —

The people of this community were saddened on Saturday morning on learning of the death of Harold Fleming at Androscoggin Valley Hospital, Berlin, N. H., where he had been a patient since Feb. 1, after suffering a heart attack at his home. He also developed pneumonia. He had been taken out of intensive care and was expected to be discharged in a few days. We have lost another good friend and neighbor by his death. Our sympathy to his daughter, Dorothy Hale of West Bethel; son, Warren Fleming of Wadsworth, Ohio, grandchildren, and all other relatives and friends.

The temperature as of Monday, Feb. 20, around zero. A zero reading every morning the past week. A lovely sunny morning in this area. The weather man predicts some snow by Friday. We hope he is wrong. Very high snow banks everywhere. The ski areas are having a good winter so far, with large crowds on all the slopes at Mt. Abram and Sunday River. Quite a few snow machines on the trails this week end in this area.

Warren Fleming of Wadsworth, Ohio, came Sunday, called here by the death of his father, Harold Fleming. He drove through with his car, leaving Ohio on Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie Lowell, who reportedly had a bad spell on the week end is confined in bed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Josephine Kendall. She is reported to be comfortable at this time.

Mrs. Bette Gilbert, Bethel, was in Rumford on Tuesday for a check up by her doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Kneeland of Cherryfield and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover Jr., and family of Fryeburg, spent the week end with Mrs. Libbie Kneeland. Jessica Grover remained to spend a few days vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Kneeland.

Jack Heath and Terry Carpenter of Swampscott, Mass., spent a few days recently with Jack's grandmother, Mrs. Libbie Kneeland and enjoyed some skiing at Sunday River.

I was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert and family, Bethel, Sunday.

Visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Roberts' Sunday were Duane Roberts, Fred Cole, Nonnie Cole and her daughter, Debbie Cole and friend of Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts and Nancy Bryant Pond.

Scott Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton, is reported recovering from a broken arm which he received in a sliding accident around three weeks ago. He went to the doctor on Friday and he took his arm out of the sling.

Brent Gilbert and Larry Bennett went on snow shoes up in the Bog road area on the week end.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy, Ellen and Mrs. Tyne Lovejoy, attended an oyster stew supper at Legion Home in Locke Mills. Mrs. Emily Saunders was the guest speaker and told of her trip to Lithuania and Russia.

On Feb. 15, Mrs. Cathryn Lovejoy and grandson, Shane Lovejoy,

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COMING SOON

CLOSE ENCOUNTERS

OF THE THIRD KIND

East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Mrs. George Gamble left Friday for her home in Sudbury, Mass., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings, for two weeks.

Mrs. Floribel Haines and Mrs. Leona Curtis attended the Senior Citizens' dinner at Bethel, Thursday.

Mrs. Floribel Haines went to Rumford Tuesday on the minibus. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge and daughter, Sarah, of Northwest Bethel were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge.

Miss Velora Kimball had a friend, Lisa, for supper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swan of Dixfield were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Lillian Bartlett.

Mrs. Lewis Smith visited Mrs. Jennie Bartlett in Livermore recently.

Mrs. Marcel Clement and daughter, Kristi, of Andover, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith Monday while her son, Gary, and a friend were skiing on Mt. Abram.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks were in Lewiston Wednesday and visited Mrs. Charles Frazer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith and sons, Sean and Dirk, and Karen Saunders, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andre Bernier and children, Ryan and Danielle, attended a family birthday party of the Bernier family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Korhonen in Newry Sunday.

Mrs. Roland Tyler and foster children, Chris Russell, Marie Wilson, Charlene and Heather, of Dixfield were luncheon guests of Mrs. David Foster Wednesday.

Mrs. Richard Stearns of Rumford Corner visited Mrs. David Foster Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and children, Denise and David, of Andover, were luncheon guests of Mrs. Foster, Saturday. Miss Denise Foster is visiting her grandmother, for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Foster were accompanied Mrs. Dorothy West, Rebecca and Christopher to Berlin, N. H., on a shopping trip, with lunch at MacDonald's. Angela Lovejoy visited Mrs. Harriet Stowell.

Thursday last week Nathan Hewey visited Mrs. Cathryn Lovejoy.

Saturday, Mrs. Ray West and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy, while Mr. West and his brother were on a trip to Vermont, visiting other

deal growers. Ellen Lovejoy left Saturday to spend some time with her sister and family in Rumford.

Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy was in Greenwood City on Monday to visit Doris Hayes, who is visiting there from Hyde Park, N. Y.

Wendall Roberts entered Rumford Community Hospital on Wednesday and will be there several days for tests.

CARD OF THANKS
I'd like to thank my family, relatives, neighbors and friends for all the cards, gifts and telephone calls while I was in the hospital and since my return home. Thanks again.

Stuart Cross

CARPENTRY AND FOUNDATIONS
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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Karen L. Brown

February 20, 1978

There are two bills before this session of the Legislature which will affect those forest landowners presently classified under the tree growth tax law, and those municipalities that have forestlands within their boundaries which are classified under this law.

LD 1936: An Act Concerning the Discount Factor and Capitalization Rate in the Tree Growth Tax Statutes. This proposal will have an effect on the state valuation of forestlands classified under tree growth tax law. The tree growth statute states that the State Tax Assessor must establish a valuation for all forest types within each county (softwood, mixed growth, and hardwood). There are four factors which the State Tax Assessor uses in establishing these valuations: 1) Stumpage price, 2) Growth rate, 3) A discount factor, 4) A capitalization rate.

The legislation before us now would change two of these factors, the discount factor and the capitalization rate, and would apply new rates to these factors. The discount factor is currently at 30%, and the capitalization rate is at 10%. Under this bill, the new rates would be 20% for the discount factor and 8 1/4% for the capitalization rate. The net effect of these changes will be an approximate 34.5% increase in State valuation of forestlands under the Tree Growth classification. Everything else being equal (i.e. if the local mill rate does not increase or decrease) this could result in a 34.5% increase in taxes for those forest landowners.

The basic intent of the tree land on its productivity and current use, thereby retaining forest-growth tax law was to tax forestland in timber production, rather

than forcing a conversion to another use. Naturally, the pressure for conversion is heaviest in the organized townships near population centers. As a result of the tree growth tax law, forestlands often are taxed less than other land which is valued at a higher fair market price. The state provides reimbursement of communities which lose tax revenues as a result of lands being classified under the tree growth tax law.

Many communities have undergone a re-evaluation since 1972, but the state continues to base its reimbursement on 1972 valuations. Recently, some town officials have complained about a continued loss of revenue under the reimbursement system and at public hearings have questioned the retention of the tree growth law.

It is worth noting that an increase in the state valuation of forestlands will have the net effect of increasing the total state valuation of the community. Since certain local expenditures which take such a significant portion of local budget, (i.e. education are based on state valuations) state funding support to the community might be reduced as a result of any increase in the total valuation.

LD 2049: An Act to Provide for Refunding of Municipal Claims Under the Maine Tree Growth Tax Law. This proposal I introduced to eliminate the one-year delay in

reimbursement to municipalities that have lost revenues as a result of lands being classified under the tree growth tax law. In the past, reimbursement has been by legislative resolve. This has caused a one-year delay in reimbursing municipalities. This bill will enable communities that are eligible to receive reimbursements for lost revenues to be paid directly by the State Treasurer on or before Dec. 15 of the year in which the revenue has been lost.

BETHEL CB MONITORS
The Bethel C. B. Monitors meet the first Thursday of every month. Next month a person from the Mormon Church will show slides of his travels.

Northwest
Clarice Gil
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Clarice Gibson, Corres.

February vacation already! I remember when the boys were all little and home that February vacation was the one I hated most. With the boys building tunnels, snowmen, and what have you, the kitchen was always full of drying mittens, socks, hats and most anything else they could find dry to change to. Now I would love to have some little boys calling for me to come crawl into their snow-forts (the door had to be big) or come see the snowman they had made. So many things we take for granted, we take another look at, if someone will take and point them out to us.

Ms. Sally Clay went to Massachusetts this week end to pick up her daughter, Meg, who will come back and stay with her mother and Lee Hassler over vacation. Sally will stay overnight at Lee's parent's, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hassler in Arlington, Mass.

Nicholas Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapman, came home from the hospital Feb. 14. Vince Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapman, will receive his two arrows and a wolf badge; and Andy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, will get a bobcat and wolf badge at the Cub Scout Banquet Tuesday, Feb. 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Smith and son Matthew visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, Friday.

Miss Beth Hutchinson, Beth's sister Martha and husband, John; and another friend, Nancy, visited Roberta Saunders this week end. Mrs. Elaine Hutchins and daughter, Shilo, took Mrs. Pat Anderson and sons, Brian and Eric, to Rumford, to watch "Pete's Dragon." Ricky and Sheri Angevine, children of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Angevine, went to the carnival ball at Telstar, Saturday night.

Frank Benson, Hank Rolfe, and Charlie Merrill, who is from Harrison, went to an ear doctor in Portland, Feb. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson had for Sunday dinner and visit their daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Kimball and Anita and Charles from Waterford, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gardner and Eric from Sabattus; also Bradley Benson and son, Andy.

Sylvia Benson will be taking Joan Coolidge to the Norway hospital for tests Tuesday, Feb. 21. Frank and Sylvia Benson and Charles and Ruth Mason went to a dance Saturday, at Locke Mills.

The cheerleaders from Telstar left Friday night and stayed over at University Hotel in Orono to compete Saturday against 10 other schools and Telstar won. Those competing were Susette Wing, Annemarie Saunders, Dawn James, Jody Haines, Priscilla Webster, Jane Hathaway, Many Dombkowski, Rachel Cummings, Mike Friel, Billy Shimamura and Coach, Mrs. Durgin. The third state championship Telstar has won this year. The others were boys' cross country and girls' field hockey.

Peggy James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don James, Albany, came Saturday and stayed until Monday visiting her two friends, Carol and Melinda, at the Charles Mason's.

Terry Mason and Lee Blake came Saturday and went back Sunday. Terry is the daughter of Charles and Ruth Mason.

Mrs. Linda Gibbs was guest-of-honor at a baby shower Saturday, Feb. 18, at the Bethel Savings Bank. The hostess and daughter, Mrs. Debbie Seames and Dawn told Mrs. Gibbs that they were going to take her grocery shopping. She was completely taken by surprise. Those attending the shower were Mrs. MacLaine Gibbs, mother-in-law, Mrs. Hinckley, grandmother-in-law, Blue Hill, Kathy and Jennifer Mason, Missie Young, Joyce Angevine, Judy Coolidge and Sara, Mrs. Ersel Murphy, Joyce Stearns, Gerry Shimamura, Thelma Merrill, Mrs. Sally Ramage, Jane Smith, Alberta Angevine. Those who sent gifts but couldn't come were Sadie Coultter, Linda's mother from Suffield, Conn. (Mrs. Coultter didn't come because she intends to come when the baby is born); Cindy Wakefield, Mrs. Archie Turner, Roberta Morin, Esther Sweetser, Syd Murphy, Anita and Danny Gibbs, Clarice Gibson and Lillian Worcester. The shower cake was decorated with booties.

Tuesday Barbara MacDougall and I went to Rumford and had dinner at Goodwin's.

Thursday morning my sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Don Holden visited and stayed for dinner. Saturday afternoon Frank's sister, her husband, and Frank's mother, came for a visit. They stayed for dinner and we also had Mr. and Mrs. Everett Saunders, Robert and Richard, Frank's folks left after Sunday dinner for their home in Hampton Falls, N. H. About an hour later my nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tucker III and Ben IV came for a visit and we had supper.

Wilfred called up Friday from Chanute Air Force Base, Ill., to say that he had graduated second in his class. He called again Saturday to say that he had arrived at the Marine Base at Beaufort, S. C., which will be his permanent duty station. Beaufort is right near the Marine boot camp, Parris Island, so he called from Parris Island. He wanted to see if it wouldn't look better if one wasn't at boot camp.

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Olive Davis, Corres.

This has been a red letter day for me. It really lasted the week end. Cards started arriving Friday with birthday wishes being extended to me from my dear friends. Saturday I spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant at a birthday dinner in my honor and gifts were presented afterwards. After I arrived home I had a call from a grandniece, Mrs. Ahlene Winkley and family in Northboro, Mass. They had been snowed in all the week along with the rest of Massachusetts so hadn't been able to tend to mail as they were not allowed to travel with cars most of the week.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Sharon Hooven and two girls and Gail Andrews came over for dinner, bringing more gifts. Sharon brought a valentine and birthday cake which was delicious.

Christine Campbell dropped in with a nice fruit dish for me and later in the afternoon Alva Wetherhouse visited here bringing an elephant eared begonia for my natal day. Carl Brooks brought up gifts and cards from he and Lettie, too. I appreciate their thoughtfulness. It has revived my spirit. Many, many thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Morgan and baby visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Morgan from Wednesday to Sunday this week end. Mr. Morgan teaches in Norridgewock. He delivered the sermon at the Adventist Church Saturday.

Miss Wendy Morgan from Brunswick was home Friday and Saturday, also with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Morgan.

The Johnsons from Massachusetts were at their cottage this week end.

The snow is settling quite a bit with the sunshine. Lettie Brooks and Olive Davis were in Lewiston Friday.

Winfield Bennett, South Paris; Andrew Hill, and Sarah Talbot are some Grange members who entered Stephens Memorial Hospital this week. Sarah has broken her hip.

There was \$25 collected in this area for Lizzie Russ' rock-a-thon held at the Ledgeview nursing home, Feb. 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews have been to Florida where they visited Mrs. Andrews' mother, Hilda Halleck, and also an aunt, who lives in Orlando. They visited many other friends and relatives while there. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Guyson Davis while in Orlando, too.

Stanley Andrews has been in the hospital but is home now and gaining.

The schools are closed this week for their usual vacation. We are glad to see the snow settle. There's about six inches on the back windows now. Just don't give us any more snow, please.

The three point meetings with

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The regular monthly meeting was held Monday, Feb. 20. For training we worked with the stair chair, the build-a-board and our new Annie.

A Standard Red Cross First Aid Class will begin Wednesday, March 8, at Telstar Regional High School; time 7 o'clock; cost \$3.50. The course is eight weeks long. Age requirement: must be over 15 years of age.

Safety Tip of the Week
Don't be accident prone—being in a hurry causes carelessness—carelessness causes accidents. Be Alert—Don't Hurry—Look out for the other guy.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. #44—WEEK OF FEB. 27

Monday: No School—Teachers' Workshop.

Tuesday: Fishburger, peas, juice, roasted peanuts, Jello, milk.

Wednesday: Sausage links, mashed potato, corn, frosted cake, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: American chop suey, green beans, pears, dark rolls and butter, milk.

Friday: Hot dog, French fries, tossed salad, gingerbread with topping, mixed breads and butter, milk.

West Paris, Franklin and Waterford Granges are as follows: April 17 at Franklin Grange; chairs will be filled by Waterford with program by West Paris, May 4, at West Paris; chairs filled by Franklin and program by Waterford, May 22, at Waterford, chairs filled by West Paris, and program by Franklin. Refreshments will be served after the meetings instead of a supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks attended the three point meeting held at Oxford Grange Friday, Feb. 17. Norway and South Paris were the other Granges in this group session.

Wednesday and Thursday, Olive Davis called on Doris Gammon, Hazel Andrews, Ruby Emery, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant, Lizzie Russ, Mamie Chandler, Jessie Andrews.

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Wednesday: 3:15-4:30 p. m. Church school for young people in grades K through 8. All are welcome.
Thursday: 7:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal in the sanctuary.

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry
Organist, Miss Susan Hathaway
Administrative Board Chairman, Richard L. Davis
Sunday: 10:35 a. m. Morning Worship.
Feb. 26—Guest Speaker: District Superintendent, Rev. William Chamberlain. Pot luck luncheon at noon followed by Charge Conference.
10:35 a. m. Sunday School.
Nursery during worship service.
Saturday: 7:00-8:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship at the Parsonage.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
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Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Holy Sacrifice of the Mass: Saturday, 4:30 p. m.
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Sunday: Sunday School (for all ages including Adults), 10 a. m.
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Nazarene Youth meetings, 5 p. m.

Evening Worship, 6 p. m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 6:30.
Choir Practice, 6:30.
For transportation or information to any service call the Parsonage, 824-3347.

Chapel of the King Episcopal
Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel Savings Bank.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Old Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Monday:
Youth, Men's and Women's Groups, 7 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:00 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Locke Mills Union Church

Rev. David Wuerl
Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor
9:15, Sunday School.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.
6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting.
Junior Young Peoples', grades 4-12.
Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.
7:00, Evening Service.
Wednesday, Choir Practice, 7:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.
Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist Church
Pastor: Elder William Menashausen
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.
Prayer meeting: Tuesday evening, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister
Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
LRY, 6 p. m.

Community Church
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Wednesday, 7 p. m. Deeper Life Bible Study.
Saturday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting.
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Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rodney Hanson, Pastor. Robert Duran, Pianist.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at 1:00 p. m.

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U. M. W. TO MEET THURSDAY, MARCH 2

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OXFORD BEAR LODGE INSTALLS OFFICERS

At a family and friends social evening last Friday, Feb. 17, the elected officers were installed at Oxford Bear Lodge, K. of P., at Hanover. With Edward Glover as G. C., Roland Bartlett as G. P., William Clough as G. M. A., and Charles Burnham as G. Sec., the following officers were installed: P. C. Rex Thurston, C. C. Herbert Adams, V. C. Kenneth Wilson, P. Robert Hutchins, M. W. David Holtzman, Sec. Frank Worcester, Fin. Sec. Wendell Holman, Treas. Claude White, M. A. Clement Worcester, I. G. Rex Thurston, O. G. Osgood Virgin.

After the invocation by Stephen Taylor, a social evening was enjoyed with greetings from the Grand Chancellor, Robert Mitchell and remarks by several visiting members and a reading by Past Grand Chancellor, Edward Glover. Refreshments were served.

Upton Mountain View Church
Fundamental Evangelistic and Missionary
Sunday Worship Service, 2:30 p. m.

Sunday School at 1 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday, at 7 p. m. All welcome.

Rumford Point Congregational Church
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Robert Parent,
Supt. of Church School
Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover
Rev. David Wuori
Pastor
Linda Burnham, Organist
Leatrice Myhrall, Music Director
Eleanor G. Tracy
Church School Superintendent
Bertha Summerton
Assistant Superintendent
Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a. m.

Sunday School, Nursery-Grade
2, 11 a. m.
Tuesday: Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p. m.
Sunday School and Confirmation Class, Grades 3-12, 7-8 p. m.

Calvary Congregational Church
Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor
Miss Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-centered lessons; Classes for all ages; Adult class.
Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

Spalding Memorial Chapel
Wilson's Mills
Rev. Delmer A. Parker, Jr.
Church Worship Service, Sunday, 10 a. m.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor
Albany Congregational Church
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
East Stoneham Congregational
8:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
8:00 a. m. Church School.
North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Church School.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The subject of the lesson to be read on Sunday, Feb. 26 is "Christ Jesus" and the Golden Text from John 7:40: "Of a truth this is the Prophet."

First Church of Christ Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway, 9 Stevens St., off Alpine St. Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.
Wednesday evening service at 7:30 p. m. includes testimonies of healing.

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Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.
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Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45 p. m.
M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

Holy Resurrection Orthodox Church
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Petrograd Street
Berlin, New Hampshire 03570
Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Vespers.
Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Liturgy.
Feast days announced.

In and About Bethel

Mrs. Daniel Davis, Heather and Karen, were in Portland on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jane Van has as guests this week two of her grandchildren, Mark and Felicia.

Stuart Cross has returned home following hospitalization at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Richard Littlefield has returned home following hospitalization at Maine Medical Center, Portland.

Mrs. Stanley Davis spent the week end with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davis and family, in Bangor.

Evelyn Wheeler, Rockport, was an overnight guest of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheeler, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Ethel Ward spent the week end, guest of Mrs. Florence Field, Rumford, and they attended the Ice Follies in Boston.

Mitchell Parker, Milford, Conn.; Kim Parker and David Timman, West Haven, Conn.; visited relatives in town on the week end.

Guests of Mrs. Ethel Ward this week to visit and enjoy the skiing are her grandson, David Lurvey, and friend Darren of Gorham.

Richard Davis and Albert Raymond returned Saturday from a trip to New York to pick up the Davis boat which had been there for repairs.

Wednesday guests of Mrs. Frank Packard were Mrs. David Keniston, Heather and Heath, Mrs. Charles Vincent, Shawn and Seth, Mechanic Falls; Mrs. David Lutton, Fay and Adam of West Bethel.

Miss Cathy Davis is having vacation from her studies at Thomas College, Waterville, and is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis. Sunday guests at the Davis home were Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hathaway, Brian and Brenda, Madison, N. H.

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N. J. He will be entering college in Florida after spending a few days with his parents.

FAMILY RELAY X-C SKI RACE AT BETHEL INN SKI TOURING CENTER SUNDAY, FEB. 26

The Bethel Inn Ski Touring Center will sponsor its first annual family relay cross country ski race at 12 noon, Sunday, Feb. 26.

Art Froburg, the Inn's ski director, organized the competition as a way to encourage cross country skiing as a family sport.

There can be no generation gap in the participating teams since each three-person family team must include two sexes and at least two generations. Froburg said this gives skiers an opportunity to participate in friendly competition with other families.

Each member will ski a five kilometer leg of the relay. There will be awards for the fastest team, the youngest finishing team, and the oldest finishing team. There will also be a "wild card" prize and, be certain that everyone will have an opportunity to win something, there will be a drawing from the team entries for a family dinner at the Bethel Inn. All teams will receive documented results of the race.

Entries close at 11:30 a. m. the day of the race.

BROWNIE ALL TROOP MEETING
Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 6:30 at the Bethel Savings Bank will be another exciting evening for the Brownie Troops. Lyn Bristol will lead a sing-along and special awards will be given. Each troop will tell about their parties. Come ready to have fun.

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Neighborhood parties were being held in the Northwest Bethel school house.

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One hundred seventy-nine carloads of pulpwood were loaded at the Bethel Grand Trunk Station during December and January.

Rumford voted for a new foot bridge near the site of "Maine Central Railroad Bridge."

50 YEARS AGO
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Central Maine Power Company was stringing a new high tension line to West Bethel to furnish additional power to the Morrill, Adams and Company (Site is now the location of the Newton-Tebbels Inc. plant).

The National Cooperative Store at West Paris burned with loss estimated at \$15,000.

Bethel town schools also Gould Academy were closed for one week due to an outbreak of scarlet fever.

Deaths: Miss Amy Wheeler, James M. Lavin, Merritt Swan,

CUB SCOUTS BLUE & GOLD BANQUET HELD TUESDAY

One hundred twenty-two parents, brothers and sisters, friends and Cub Scouts filled the Telstar Cafeteria Tuesday for Pack 566's annual Blue and Gold Banquet and Pack meeting. Each Den organized its own pot luck supper and the range of home cooked delights would have made any gourmet proud and the table decorations that the Cubs made for the event added to the decor.

Dessert was served to the sounds of "Happy Birthday" as two of the Cubs, Jim Orino and Chris Chapman, had birthdays on that day.

Cubmaster Al Barth announced that the Scout Show would be this Saturday, Feb. 25, in Rumford and that all Cubs who sold ten tickets would receive a patch for their uniform. Forty percent of the proceeds will be to Pack 566.

On Thursday, March 2, all Den Leaders and Assistants will meet with Scout Trainers to participate in "Den Activities" and "Den Administration." This will be held at 7 p. m. in the Methodist Church.

Another who has a boy who will be eight years old on or by September should plan to attend to see what Cub Scouting is all about and how she can help.

Finally, on Sunday, March 5, the Pack will hold a toboggan and sliding party on the hill on Lovers' Lane at 12 noon. It will be a family affair and the Pack will have a charcoal fire on hand so plan to bring your lunch along with your sleds, tubes, tires and toboggans.

The following awards were given out after dinner. BobCat Badge: Todd Davis and Andy Smith; Wolf Badge: Ernie Mason, Richard Sprague, Shannon Sumner, Chris Powell, Jim Orino, and Andy Smith; Wolf Badge with Gold Arrow: Alex Newell, Bryan Kellogg, and Kevin Powell; Wolf Badge with Gold and Silver Arrow: Vince Chapman, Wolf Badge plus Gold and Two Silver Arrows: Dennis Gallant; Gold and Two Silver Arrows were earned by Chris Chapman.

Webelos Awards: Brent Batchelder, Naturalist; Keith Wight, Aquanaut and Outdoorsman; and Bruce Barth, Outdoorsman. Finally a special Arrow of Light and Webelos Badge Award ceremony was held and those Cubs receiving the highest Cub Scout Award were Mike McGuire, Bruce Barth, Todd Kellogg, Jim Feeney, Brent Batchelder, Keith Wight, and Brandon Salway, who's dad, Dave is the Webelos Leader. Den Leaders don't forget the March 2 workshop.

HEAD START ENROLLMENT BEGUN FOR FALL '78
The West Bethel Children's Center has begun taking applications for next fall's Head Start Program.

Head Start is a comprehensive, early childhood development program which includes an individualized educational plan, health and social services, parent education and involvement, nutritious meals, and special services as needed.

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Not all Head Start Programs are designed to meet the needs of the local community. All Head Start Programs, however, must comply with State and Federal standards of performance.

Head Start receives funding from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare through the Children, Youth, and Family Unit. There is no cost to the family.

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SNOW VALLEY SNO GOERS PLANNING POKER RUN RIDE AND FIELD DAY FEB. 26

The Snow Valley Sno Goers in Andover are planning a Poker Run Ride and Field Day on Sunday, Feb. 26, beginning at 10 a. m. with registration at the club house in East Andover.

The ride will have five stops along the way where each rider will pick up a sealed envelope containing a card. At the end of the ride the person with the best poker hand will be the winner. Trophies will be awarded for first, second and third places.

Other games and events will be held at the club house including a fried clam dinner which will be served beginning at 12 noon.

Greenwood City

—Mrs. Collista Morgan, Corres.—

This afternoon I went to the swamp. Warm, pleasant, sunny weather, which the valley seemed to drink in with pleasure.

I never tire of going over the same ground and I'm inclined to agree with John Burroughs, "To learn something new, take the path today that you took yesterday." There is always a change in the things you see. The clouds, the wind, the light are never the same. All walking is a discovery if we take time to see things. If one is used to walking in all seasons and all weather, I have found that the weather is never as bad outside as it looks through the window. Dress optional, take to the woods on windy days. It's quieter. Avoid slippery footing. When in doubt play safe.

Today with the softness of spring, no winter wind to bite, I was sure anyone would enjoy it.

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ELEANOR GORDON GUILD

Eleanor Gordon Guild met at the home of Mary Dooen on Wednesday, Feb. 15, with 12 members present. The meeting was opened by the president, Betty Perkins, and Debbie Adams led the group in devotions.

A letter was read from the Augusta Hospital thanking the Guild for Christmas gifts. It was voted to have a traveling food basket with receipts going to the Leukemia Fund.

Election of officers was held with the following results: President, Betty Perkins; Vice President, Gena Wight; Secretary, Mary Dooen; and Treasurer, Blake. The program was a silent auction. The next meeting will be held on March 15.

So I strapped my feet into my snowshoes and descended the bank by the mail box to the pond. Go back across I discovered a fox track and followed it through the alders to the Sanborn River. It had trod this way and that slipping over the drifts. In one place it had made a leap to the top of a stump, no doubt as lightly as a ballet dancer. Its flowing tail, bushy, always adds to its fluid grace. It must have made a lovely picture in the moonlight with a crystal-line world around it. Near the mouth, Sanborn River today has no other tracks but those of the fox and the rabbits. But as I traveled deeper into the forest area, I saw along the edge the dragging tracks of a large bird; raven, crow, or jay, in search of food among the grass clumps. There were laced-like tracks of the mice, leading into the clumps of goldenrod.

When well up river, I turned to the deeper part of the swamp. The first different thing that I saw was the many tracks of the "bunnies". I followed some and came to a hollow all tramped down. At the left, stood the faintest hutch one could imagine. Water from rain had receded, ice had clung to seven alders making roaches with their wings. Underneath was a perfect shelter for the rabbits. Man could not have improved it. I always hope to see the "bunny" but only occasionally does one appear.

Leaving here I made my way through a group of pines. These evergreens with whispering tongues and green sunshades had nothing to say today. They bathed my eyes soothingly in their perfect symmetry. On one of the boughs sat a robin's nest heaped in snow.

As I scuffed on, all the snow was pebbled on the topmost layer. In many depressions there were snuff-brown particles, the wind-blown seeds of the birches.

I began to realize that it was warm so I removed my mittens and loosened my coat to be more comfortable.

In an hour's time I reached home. I fed my birds and as usual NO-Tail was there. Have you ever seen a chickadee without a tail? We have one that has been around for two weeks. It darts around like a large bumble-bee from feeder to tree. It has no difficulty in flying. It is most interesting to watch.

One of the best moments of the day is when I return a little weary and I change my boots for slippers and slip into my chair to relax and enjoy the sense of leisure with a good book.

It is night now and dark. The gentle twilight has wrapped a soft shawl about the shoulders of a delightful day and has planned it with stars.

Our little community has lost a kind neighbor and friend with the passing of Elmer Hayes on Feb. 20 and we extend sympathy to the members of his family. He spent all his years at the farm homestead on Hayes Hill. So he dwelt in the valley of remembrance and on the hills of home. He walked in the fertile earth and planted a garden. He walked the paths of quietness along the forest floor. He saw the miracle of spring, the fruition of summer, the beauty of autumn, followed by the repose of winter. He will be missed.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Hayes and son, of Hyde Park, N. Y., came to the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes on Friday.

Annie Mills, Gloria Buffington, and her daughter, Pam, from Shapleigh were callers on us on Friday.

Club Eight met at Fay Holt's home on Tuesday. Katie Tamminen won the hostess prize.

We called on Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage at South Paris on Saturday afternoon.

Lucy Bragg of West Sumner visited her aunt and uncle, Dorothy

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How pleasant it is to see the Sun reaching higher each day—the daylight hours lengthen as we joyfully await the coming of spring—one part of the four favored seasons of the year allotted to man to dwell on earth to live in harmony with one another.

Man's life time is said to be four score and ten years—yet he like the grass and flowers has his seasons and must wither and fade—so it says in I Peter 1:24—"For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away."

The Word of God repeats this twice more—Ps. 103:5 and Isaiah 40:6, 7. Following these three verses, God promises us: "But the Word of the Lord endureth forever. But the mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear (revere) the Lord."

Hebrews 9:27 says "And it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgement."

As each flower adds its fragrance to bring beauty into our lives, so we too, each and every person may add "a sweet smelling savour" to Him, our prayers and praises.

Oh, that man would serve the Lord!—Yet how many of us reach for things that do not count, riches of silver and gold, that too will fade away. Are we like the child reaching for the soap bubbles—grasping them for a fraction of a second only to have them burst and fade away?

God says: Come to me and I will make your pathway bright—come to my garden and I shall fill you with good things as ever lasting as my mercy which shall last forever and ever.

To the child of God, He says: Go forth and scatter the seed that you may come rejoicing, bringing in the sheaves. Can you imagine how happy God is when even one single person repents and calls God—Father? and how the multitudes of angels rejoice in singing over one sinner brought into fellowship with Jesus Christ!

"For once we too were dead in our trespasses and sins, but God being rich in mercy—because of His great love with which He loved us—made us alive with Christ and raised us up with Him in heavenly places in Christ Jesus. For by grace we are saved through faith, it is a gift of God, and not by works that no one should boast."

Let us no longer be strangers and aliens—but be fellow citizens with the saints—the true believers—and of God's household."

Ephesians 2.

Then we shall say "Praise the Lord."

Fred'k Werner Bethel Gospel Center

and Frank Curtis, on Sunday. Mildred Bowman, Hebron, and Irene Stevens, Augusta, were also callers there.

Ernest Morris has returned to his home from Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Tamminen were in Portland and Old Orchard on Monday.

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Karlene Bachelder and Eleanor Morton will serve refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Page and Eric and Amy Hale, Pelham, N. H., have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanley Hale several days and enjoying skiing and snowmobiling.

Mrs. Reginald Bachelder was honored at a birthday party at her home, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Philip O'Donnell and children and Aaron Bachelder, Cumberland, and Miss Heidi Bachelder, Oxford, came and brought a lovely dinner including a birthday cake, which they served. Others present were Reginald, Brent, Travis, Brian and Tracy Bachelder.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Korhonen were hosts at a family birthday party at their home Sunday, honoring the birthdays of Alan Korhonen, Feb. 19; David Korhonen, Feb. 25; Danielle Bernier, Feb. 20; and Arlene Bernier, Feb. 5. Dinner was served and a social afternoon was enjoyed. The birthday cakes were made and decorated by Juanita Korhonen. Attending besides the hosts and their children and honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bernier, Upton, Joe and Penny Bernier, New Gloucester, Lucien and Ellen Bernier

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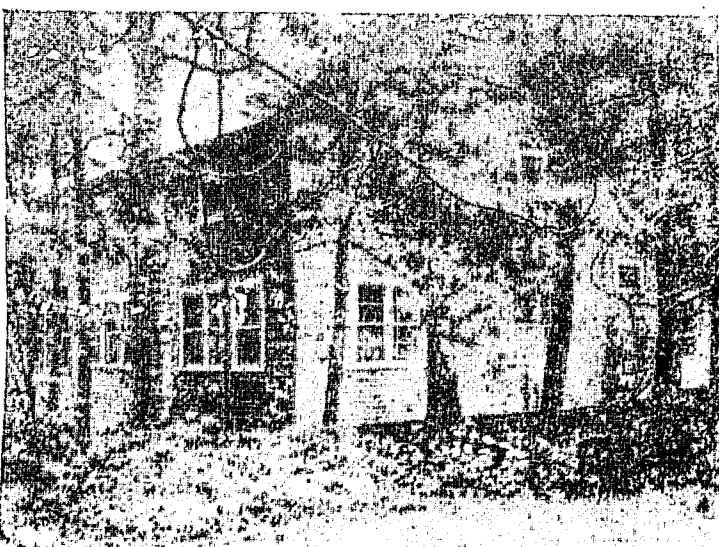
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West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Leslie Moore was the guest of honor at a baby shower Friday evening at the home of Sally Smith. Hostesses were Rita Wilson, Joan Deegan and Sally Smith. Others attending were: Judy and Karen Andrews, Shelburne, N. H.; Karlene Batchelder, Nancy Wright, Newry; Virginia and Michele Johnson, Mary Doon, Bethel; Cindy Wakefield, Locke Mills; Leah Deegan, Koral Smith, Mindy and David Wilson, Muriel Gilbert, Terry Wilson, Margaret Record, Carolyn Colby, West Greenwood.

Maude Harrington went to Malloway the first of the week.

Alan and Vicki Wilson are spending a few days of their vacation with their grandparents, Alden and Irene Wilson.

Denny, Rita, Mindy and David Wilson were in Berlin, Sunday.

Ruth Wilkinson, Wilton, visited Irene Wilson, Sunday.

Blanche and Rosine Gagnon, Lew and Irene Charest, of Lewiston, visited Zip and Muriel Gilbert, Sunday afternoon.

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A great big thank you to all my Avon customers who have shopped with me for the past six years. I wouldn't have enjoyed "Avoning" the way I did if it had not been for you folks who always welcomed me with such a friendly attitude. "Ginny" Walker and "Tyrene" Lovejoy will be sharing my route.

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NATIONAL FOREST TIMBER SALE, WHITE MOUNTAIN NATIONAL FOREST, TYLER NOTCH SALE, located in U. S. Tracts 45, 58, 421, and 286, Evans Notch Ranger District, in Mason and Batchelder Grants, Oxford County, Maine. Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Federal Building, Laconia, New Hampshire, at 2:00 p. m. local time at the place of bid opening, March 24, 1978, for an estimated 3033 Ccf of timber marked or otherwise designated for cutting. The estimated volume by species product and the minimum acceptable bid rates are: 87 Ccf hemlock and other softwood sawlogs at \$6.55 per Ccf; 414 Ccf red maple and other hardwood sawlogs at \$6.49 per Ccf; 228 Ccf sugar maple sawlogs at \$47.52 per Ccf; 236 Ccf yellow birch sawlogs at \$55.19 per Ccf; 85 Ccf paper birch millwood at \$48.84 per Ccf; 1896 Ccf hardwood pulpwood at \$7.44 per Ccf; and 90 Ccf hemlock and other softwood pulpwood at \$7.04 per Ccf. The required bid guarantee is \$600.00. Applicable purchaser road credit is \$62,235. Required deposits for road maintenance are \$0.59 per Ccf and are in addition to minimum acceptable bid. This is a small business set-aside sale. Bids from others will be considered if no valid bid is received from a small business concern. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

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Andover

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres. —

Bob Chase celebrated his eighth birthday on Feb. 8, with a party given by his mother, Mrs. Jean Chase, after school. There were 12 friends attending: Christian and Deanna Hutchins, Wayne Wardwell, Grady Matthew and Bobbie Lynn Littlehale, Jason and Nathan Miserochi, Steve Learned, Richy Mixer, Tracy Gammon and Scott Chase. Birthday cake and ice cream was enjoyed by all after opening his presents.

Mrs. Paul Nevel visited Mrs. Ann Cross in Bethel one day last week.

Joe Myhrall left Monday for Michigan to attend a swimming pool conference returning home Wednesday.

Mrs. Floyd Emerson entertained at a Valentine Party Wednesday morning. Those attending were Francis Nevel, Marie Nuppula, Marjorie Jodrey, Merilee Thurston, Jon and Kurt and Stephanie Percival.

A group of neighbors and I are wondering whatever happened to a dog leash law that was supposed to be in effect in town or was it written for just a few dog owners.

Frank Morgan is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital.

On Friday, Feb. 17, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cutting and Mrs. Graydon Campbell were in Portland shopping. Mr. Cutting met his son, Charles S. Cutting, at the jetport and spent the afternoon flying with him in his plane. Then they all went to South Windham to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Cutting and have supper before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon and Kurt, spent the week end in Topsham, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Matthews and family.

Miss Gwen Hutchins, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hutchins, Main Street, was a patient at St. Mary's Hospital for surgery and returned home on Feb. 17.

Miss Tina Hutchins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hutchins, East Andover, had the misfortune to break her left forearm on Friday, Feb. 17, during her gym class. She was taken to Rumford Community Hospital and then rushed to the Central Maine Medical Center by Bethel Ambulance Service where surgery was performed. She was a patient for two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Haskell of Clark's Mills were week end guests of Mrs. Bernice Glover. Sunday callers on Mrs. Glover were Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Brackett and family of Wells, and Mrs. Mary Wilson, West Peru.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fyrberg were in Massachusetts over the week end visiting relatives.

Mrs. Paul Nevel was in New Sharon Sunday visiting her brothers.

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— Kathy Bennett, Corres. —

It sure seems nice to go a few days without a major snow storm. In fact the snow has settled a great deal in the last week. Sure hope it warms up soon. We're running out of wood!

Mrs. Sylvia Cummings and Vera Emerson called on Sarah Andrews one day last week. Thursday Bertha Kimball called on her sister, Sarah Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed White and family.

Monday Albert and Elma took their grandchildren, Joan, Barbara, Joseph and Rodney White down to Mt. Abram skiing.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reynolds and children went to Cutler, over the week end. Dan was called there due to the death of his grandfather.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns this last week have been, Ruthie and Edwin Bumpus. Their daughter, Jan, her husband, her daughter Deedee and a friend were Sunday dinner guests at the Stearns home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bean on Saturday afternoon.

Sunday Margaret Barton and Frank Sr. attended Miss Darlene Barton's birthday party in Brownfield.

Monday, Franklin Barton and sons, Jim and Brett, went to Brownfield to go rabbit hunting with Roger Barton and friends.

It was a very busy week end at the Barton Farm. Saturday How-

gregation Church: Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Regular Senior Choir rehearsal. Wednesday, 7:00 p. m. Church School. 8 p. m. Adult Discussion Group. Sat., 6 p. m. Monthly Supper. Sunday, Feb. 26, 11 a. m. Service topic, "Shucking Your Shackles."

Impression of Andover on a cold winter day. Andover is—fall pine country, sturdy, stately timber, reaching skyward; a friendly woodsman who lays down his saw in chest deep snow to take time to talk to the determined skiers; a minister; determined youngsters with red unwiped noses, breathlessly poling and pushing every atom to exhaustion over carefully groomed trails for the best "time"; the rumble of wood trucks, the whir of crosscutters, the unmistakable buzz of snowmachines; the Gong of the town hall clock tolling "Andover time"; the quiet forest of a thousand years deep on a winter's night, the peaceful security of home banked by snow, warmed

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Tuesday, Feb. 28: Baked chicken, cranberry sauce, scalloped potatoes, chopped spinach, French bread, butter, ice cream slice, DB/Cal, fresh apple, milk.

Thursday March 2: Salisbury steak w/mushroom gravy, parished potatoes, sliced carrots, home made bread, butter, fresh orange, milk. This will be the last meal served until Tuesday, March 28, as Could Academy will be closed for vacation.

ard Draper and Ronald Guphill, East Baldwin, Peter Eastman, Connecticut, and Roger Barton came over and they all went rabbit hunting.

Saturday night Franklin and Margaret visited Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson.

Monday, Arthur and Sarah Seavey and Randy called at the Barton Farm.

We keep telling ourselves here at K-D's Acres that spring is right around the corner! Three weeks from now and the first baby goats will be arriving! A sure sign of spring.

Callers last week were Mr. and Mrs. Gus McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Twitchell, Christine Twitchell and Elton Cole, Jeff Barton, and Margaret Barton. Saturday night, Dick and I attended the dance in Locke Mills and had supper at Jordan's Restaurant.

"Thinking well is wise; planning well, wiser; doing well wisest and best of all."—Persian Proverb.

within by human closeness; a setting that inspires the soul, exercises the body, stretches the spirit, and lifts the whole being up to the surrounding whitecaps and beyond; terra firma with real, earthy people linked to each other by common existence and to the Power behind the universe symbolized by radome's beam to outer space.

A beautiful description of my home town.

School vacation means snowmachines, flying by one way, skiers the other, keeping the trails well marked.

Scott Snyder, Holden, Mass., visited Mrs. Eva Bodwell over the long week end and also his son, Todd Snyder, visited with him at Mrs. Bodwell's.

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Hanover

— Pam Morton, Corres. —

The Hanover Outing Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ramsey for a pot luck supper Saturday night. John Morton was presented the "Hawk of the Week" award for his spectacular performance on the last ski outing.

Harry Chase is still in the Rumford Hospital.

Carl Kingsbury is now home from the hospital and is recovering from a heart attack. Cards or notes sent to the Kingsbury's Florida address would be appreciated.

Scott and Rob Roundtree of Syosett, N. Y., are vacation guests of Mike Robin.

Bob and Pat Ouimette and son, Robert, of Massachusetts, were guests of the Gordon Howe family.

Margaret Kohut and family of Dover, N. H., were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ferguson, Sr., this week.

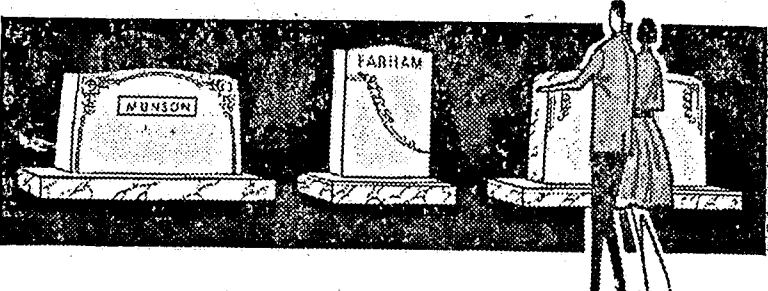
Mr. and Mrs. George Hayden of Poland were at their camp here this week end. Mrs. Hayden visited.

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— Mrs. Ralph K.

Mr. and Mrs. entertained a group of friends for a Sunday dinner at the home of Mrs. Grace.

There will be a "Good News Club" with Miss Eva Hunt, missionary to Mexico, at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church Monday, March 6, at 3 p. m. All school age children and anyone else interested are invited to attend.

Donna and Alan Ring of Freeport are spending the week at their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring's.

Mrs. Ruth Tyler is in the Rumford Community Hospital for surgery.

ed Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunning, Andover, one afternoon.

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North East

— Pauline Smith

Mr. and Mrs. S. son and son, son, at their camp this week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Connecticut are at Cushman Pond for school vacation.

Iva Fox and son, son, were in Newry this week.

Rev. Richard B. the Kendalls, Smith, also Stephen Fox, Cope, Phyllis Grayson.

Janine Fox and son, son, are home at their home for the week.

Ed Josephine's from Gloucester, Mass.

Iva Fox was in Newry Tuesday.

A very special of Sunday at the Church.

Special music; in winter sports, a church.

Sunday school and goes through to I have seen pussy love the chickadee more, with the buds Spring is hopeful.

Rose Mary Smith, Roy Smith called at day.

Esther Harriman, setts visited and had Marion Kendall, Sur.

Aunt Polly for breakfast morning later took her Fox, to Portland, where Ada Malia.

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Songo Pond**Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.**

Mr. and Mrs. William Bancroft entertained a group of friends for Sunday dinner to celebrate the birthday of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Greig of Sumner. Those attending were Mrs. Grace Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halle and children of Lisbon Falls; Mrs. Elaine Johnson and Jill and Harvey Lee of Norway; Kim and Scotty Greig.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert White and little daughter, spent the week end visiting friends in Manchester, N. H.

David Rowe and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Keaton and family of Portland spent a few days over the week end at Camp Tap-A-Nu-Keg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundt were Tuesday afternoon callers on the Pat Greniers.

Mrs. Alice Kimball spent a day last week with the Herb Adams family in Hancock.

The State Highway crew is trimming branches along Mte. 5 and cutting down several trees along the pond.

Kassi Salway went to Portland with friends Monday to watch one of the Girls' Tournament basketball games. Brandon spent the day and night with friends.

You cannot do a kindness too soon, for you never know how soon it will be too late.

North East Lovell**Pauline Smith, Corres.**

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Henderson and son, son's friend, were at their camp this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cope from Connecticut are at their home on Cushman Pond for the holiday and school vacation.

Iva Fox and son, Fred, had dinner with Larry Fox Wednesday night.

Pauline Smith visited Vesta Nelson this week.

Rev. Richard Barr called on the Kendalls, Smiths one evening also Stephen Fox called there, Bob Cope, Phyllis Grayson and Lyn Grayson.

Janine Fox and sons, Raymond and Troy, are home from Florida. The Belasch's and friends were at their home for the week end.

Ed Josephone's family are here from Gloucester, Mass., skiing.

Iva Fox was in Norway on business Tuesday.

A very special church service Sunday at the Center Church. Special music; in spite of the winter sports, a nice crowd at church.

Sunday school starts next week and goes through to June.

I have seen pussy willows. I believe the chickadees are singing more, with the buds on the trees. Spring is hopeful.

Rose Mary Smith, Linda Allen, Roy Smith called at Iva Fox's Sunday.

Esther Harriman, Florence Tibbets visited and had dinner with Marion Kendall, Sunday.

Linda Rae Allen visited her Aunt Polly for breakfast Monday morning later took her mother, Iva Fox, to Portland, where they visited Ada Malia.

Upton**Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres.**

Apologies to all who were disappointed because there were no Upton items last week — don't know what happened but guess I was too busy being overwhelmed by snow and all the extreme weather all over.

School is closed for a week of vacation.

Bonnie Roberts is visiting her father a few days.

Kelly Flanders of North Waterford is visiting her grandparents a few days.

Nearly every camp was occupied over the holiday week end with much snowmobile traffic.

Arthur Lemieux is staying at his camp here for a while.

Theresa Blais, Yvonne and Chantal Viens and Arline Bernier attended the Sewing class this week. It was postponed the night of the heavy snow.

The Gilles Viens attended the funeral of their nephew, son of Andre Viens, in Nashua. He was killed by a drunken driver who swerved from the road onto the Viens property.

Paul Aaron, Alaska, is spending some time with his parents and brother's family.

Pete Barnes cleaned out several dooryards in town.

The Andrew Arons Jr. spent the evening and had supper with her brother and family of Wentworth Location.

Sunday the Berniers visited the Kohnons of Newry for a family party which included nearly all the members except for those in Germany.

West Paris**Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres.**

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews and Norine Ring had as guests over the week end, Mrs. Starr Coyne, Miss Maureen Coyne of Scarborough, Rick Rockwell of South Portland, and Dawn Marie Eaton of South Paris.

Mrs. Lula Buck spent the week end with her sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Doughty.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram, Mrs. Everett Chase called on Mrs. Ella Whitney, Mrs. Winnie Watson in Oxford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kirshe are vacationing in the Bahamas this week.

Mrs. Elaine Emery, Laura and Stephanie are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Penley, in Brandon, Fla., for two weeks.

Plans are underway for the annual minstrel show to be held April 14-15. The show is under the direction of Elaine Emery and Joe Porham, chairman of Endman, Vernon Innant, specialty acts, Mary Emery, publicity, Beverly Dean and Eleanor Innant; set decorating, Mickey Lismatta; program, Stanley Cram; stage manager, Arthur Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cram, Mrs. Arlene Farr, Mrs. Lyndell Farr, called on Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cram and Amy Oxford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Andrews are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

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Sunday River**Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.**

Darnita Yates was home over the week end from Barre, Vt. Bradley Harrington visited one afternoon with Marshall Fleet.

Sylvia Morrison visited one afternoon with Julia Fleet.

Alan Fleet was down to the Norway Hospital for a check-up Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Nancy Dennis took Julia Fleet to the Citizens birthday dinner Tuesday and shopping after.

Another insurance man was in town this week.

Two gray squirrels are spending most of the time in our barn.

So far we have had about 85 inches of snow, which has kept every one busy.

What a spell of nice winter weather. Over a week. Can it be possible?

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hathaway and family of New Jersey spent the week end of Feb. 10 and 11 with his mother, Eunice Hathaway and brother Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Yates joined a group of ski hounds Feb. 11 for a trip to Switzerland and other places. Mrs. Myrna Carter and girls are helping Edwick to hold down the fort till the boss gets back.

Hope the man who found the thirty-eight pound bob cat asleep

in his out house in East Andover is recovering from the shock all O. K. Surprises never cease.

Mrs. Laura Hutchins and Lorene Adams called on her mother, Eva Yates, one day this past week.

The Hutchins' families have all had their bouts with the flu followed by an ear infection. Now Sam, the dog, has it so had to make a visit to Dr. Hudson.

Elden Yates was home for the week end from his work in Augusta.

If traffic is any sign, Sunday River Ski area is busy this Feb. 19.

If weather and illness permits Bear River Grange will meet at the Savings Bank room Feb. 25.

There will be a pot luck supper at 6:30. Each one to bring a dish of something to eat and their own silverware. We hope the Deputy, Neil Conant will be with us and

may be other guests. Put on your hood and mittens and join us.

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North Paris**Eveline Barrett, Corres.**

Joe and I went to South Paris so we drove down to the new Shop and Save. It is nice, but I walked four miles looking for the raisins. Finally I asked a clerk.

Gerald Lowe is working at Penley Corp., West Paris. School vacation is Feb. 20-21. Hope it doesn't snow all the week.

Callers at Lawrence's: Floyd Huntley, Nancy Mason, Dot Smith, Maurice Benson, Ellery "Pete" Lawrence and son, Ellery, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card.

Phillip Hyam spent the week maybe other guests. Put on your hood and mittens and join us.

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end visiting his brother and family in New Hampshire.

Neal Cohen did Evelyn Barrett's shopping for her Saturday as she is entertaining another cold and will see Dr. Young, in Bethel, Feb. 20. We have good neighbors.

Poor George Washington will be celebrating his Natal by himself as I can't possibly lose four days to celebrate with him. My birthday is on the same date every year.

Seems good to turn the stoves down for a change.

My classmate Lempi (Korhonen) Wyman is in Carlsbad, Calif., where the heavy rains are. She says the mud is 10-12 inches deep in places. She better cut her visit short.

Little Jason Cohen had his first birthday Feb. 15.

Until next week keep an eye out for spring.

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Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Fire Department Auxiliary will put on a dinner on town meeting day at the Town Hall, Saturday, March 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Henley, of Trenton, N. J., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a tight pound, seven ounce, daughter on Feb. 3 at a Trenton hospital. She has been named Nicole Lynn, and joins a brother, Jeffrey. Sharing grandparent honors are Mr. and Mrs. Albert Henley, Locke Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bayliss of Pennington, N. J.

Mrs. Dorothy Durgin is a patient at the Rumford hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Fitch and family of Massachusetts are at their camp near South Pond this week and are skiing at Mt. Abram.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross, Mrs. Gladys Jordan and Mrs. Lillian Lapham were in Gorham Sunday afternoon, shopping.

Robert Cole has returned home from the Norway hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bayless and son of Pennington, N. J., spent the week end at their camp in Greenwood Center.

Donald Bennett who went to the Norway hospital last week hopes to be able to come home soon.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford on Thursday were Mrs. Hattie Curtis, Ethel Boyle, and Helen Bonney and friend, all of West Sumner. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Morrill, Sumner, Mrs. Edna Webster and son, Harlan, Portland, and their nephew, Leslie Mason of Portland, were visitors at the Ford home.

Ansel Jordan is a patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeNormandie and son, Jon, of Norway, Mass., are staying at their home this week and skiing on Mt. Abram.

Marie Henley has a broken arm suffered in a fall on the ice.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Dryden, were dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Smith conducted the services at the Church of the Nazarene Sunday while the pastor, Rev. Don Smith and family were on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring, of Freeport, were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cole.

Ralph Mills has been confined to his home in South Portland for a few days with the flu.

The Fire Department held a training session on Tuesday evening for the members. The members are filling out pre-fire plans for the houses they live in and would eventually like to have them for all the houses in town. This survey lists the type of house, type and number of stoves, number of people and rooms and other pertinent information that might help in fighting a fire at that particular home. Several of the members have been attending a training course in Norway on Thursday evenings.

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Sat., Feb. 25—No Buffet this evening due to a private party but we will be open 9-1 for Dancing with MALCOLM SMITH and the MAINE-LANDERS.

Mon. & Tues., Feb. 27 & 28—Closed for Private Party.

Wed., March 1—HAPPY HOURS 6-9 P. M.

Entertainment—The Sudbury Inn proudly announces the return of LYN BRISTOL.

Thurs., March 2—The Sudbury Inn welcomes the visiting Green Berets with Entertainment by WALTER MARSTON 8-Midnight.

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TRI-COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH TO OFFER

ASSERTIVENESS TRAINING

Tri-County Mental Health is offering an eight week Assertiveness Training course which will include instruction and practice in being more assertive in work, family, social and interpersonal situations. Guidance will be provided through actual practice or role-playing problem situations in the relative safety of a supportive group. The classes will be held Monday mornings, Feb. 27 through April 17, in the Norway-South Paris area. For further information concerning registration please call 743-6725 or 743-6465.

SQUARE DANCE AT RUMFORD CENTER, FEB. 25

The Moloket Mixers will hold a Club Level Square Dance on Saturday, Feb. 25, from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Rumford Center School. Terry Campbell will be the caller and Wally Weeks, the cuer.

East Stoneham

Gladys Kilgore, Corres.

Mrs. Violet Doughty joined some friends in Norway Saturday, the 19 and they all attended Past Grand Chiefs meeting and dinner.

Mrs. Iva Ray and Margaret Doore of Waterford visited me Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heino and Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Roland McAllister, held at South Paris Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yemma visited Grace and Stan Nelson Saturday evening.

Mrs. Della Ricker and Mrs. Marion York went to Berlin, N. H., Thursday. Della visited her son, who is in the hospital there and Marion visited the Robert Yorks in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McAllister and son, Don, visited his sister, Helen Grover, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gouin were also visitors.

Several of the Senior Citizens went to Lewiston on the Mini-bus Tuesday. A few from Waterford and Norway joined them.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker of Bethel, visited me Thursday. They visited his sister in North Waterford.

Mrs. Ethel Piles has been confined to her home by illness for the past few days.

Mrs. Edith Pulkkinen and Mrs. Brown of Norway, visited the John Grovers Sunday.

A get acquainted party will be held at the town hall Saturday night. A pot luck supper will be served. There will be games and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grover went to Norway Tuesday.

The youngsters are having a vacation and enjoying skiing and their snowmobiles.

Mrs. Sylvia Cummings of South Paris was in town Thursday, making calls.

CHARGE CONFERENCE

SUNDAY AT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Bethel United Methodist Church Charge Conference will be held at the church Sunday afternoon, Feb. 26. Special guest will be the District Superintendent, Rev. William Chamberlain, of Portland, who will deliver the sermon at the 10:35 morning worship. A pot luck luncheon will be served following the service, and everyone is invited to attend. Those not solicited are asked to furnish a hot dish or salad. The Conference will begin immediately following the luncheon.

OXFORD CO. REPUBLICANS

MET FEB. 14 AT SOUTH PARIS

The members of the Oxford County Republican Committee met Feb. 14 at the South Paris Fire Hall for their monthly meeting, with Chairman Stuart Martin presiding.

Reports were heard from Secretary Marion Davis, Hebron; Treasurer Carolyn Kennard, Rumford; and County Finance Officer Norman Ferguson Sr., Hanover, as well as State Committeeman Philip Andrews, Fryeburg, who stressed the need for a meeting with all persons planning to run for nomination in the June primary. Committeeman Andrews also introduced Miss Melinda Meserue of Rumford, who recently served as a page at the 108th Legislature along with Mr. Andrews' grandson.

Fryeburg Committeeman Donald Buzzell, with Glenn Chute of Paris presented some material relating to votes cast in recent county elections for Republican candidates.

Elliott Hunt spoke about some campaign experiences and gave practical pointers.

A guest, Joe Carson, of Paris, spoke about his concerns for government and the people who represent the party needing to make their positions known on the issues before seeking nomination.

The two candidates at this meeting were Eugene Bickford, Norway, seeking nomination for Sheriff, and Lawrence Keisman, Fryeburg, for Representative. Chairman Martin presented plans for a spring candidates dinner meeting explaining that due to the recent Reagan reception in Portland and the unpredictable storms, it had been decided a spring dinner would be better than the usual Lincoln Day banquet. It was voted to hold the candidates night May 6 at the Bethel Inn. Further details on this will be discussed at the usual monthly meeting on March 14.

A special meeting has been called for Feb. 27 at the South Paris Fire Hall for the purpose of meeting with all candidates or those who are considering running. Every Republican candidate is asked to attend this meeting as well as present Republican legislators and county officers. Town Chairmen are asked to make sure their committee members are in attendance at this very important planning meeting, which is in addition to the March 14th meeting at which gubernatorial candidate Charles Cragin will be speaker.

HEAD START/DAY CARE CENTER HOLDING BAKE SALE

FRIDAY, FEB. 24

This is just a reminder that the West Bethel Head Start/Day Care Center is having a bake sale at the Bethel Savings Bank on Friday, Feb. 24. So come in and buy some goodies to snack on; they're all home made.

Gilead

Mrs. Clifford O. Cole, Cor.

Chris Chapman celebrated his birthday a few days early on Feb. 18 with a party at home. He will be nine Feb. 21. Those present besides his parents, Hugh and Lin Chapman and his brother, Timmy, were Mrs. Blanche Chapman, Mrs. Mildred McLain, Mrs. Emeline Heath and Steve and Bradley McLain.

Katherine Tyler entertained her mother, Mary Tyler, her grandparents, Clifford and Mary Cole, Mrs. Mildred McLain, and Miss Emeline Heath, Tuesday morning with a luncheon in order to get her badge in the Brownies.

Katherine Tyler and Kelly Cole are enjoying a week's vacation from school.

NORWAY RADIO PROGRAM TO DISCUSS COMMUNITY FOOD AND NUTRITION, SUNDAY

Sunday night Feb. 26 at 8 p.m. on radio stations WOXM FM (92.7) and WXIV AM (1450), there will be a discussion about the Community Food and Nutrition program which was designed to familiarize the residents of Oxford County, with the importance of proper eating habits and nutritional needs and their relationship in the maintenance of good health.

The panel will include Lynda Haegele, director of the Food and Nutrition program, Bradbury Blake, who is a representative of the program, and Dr. Stephen Garbarini, D.C., of Bethel, member of the Council on Nutrition of the American Chiropractic Association.

Open lines will be available during the show. This will provide a good opportunity for people to call and share their questions and feelings on this most important subject matter. All people in the listening area are urged to tune in.

North Woodstock

Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. James Orsak, Newport, N. H., called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gammon, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Billings and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights, Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Chapman and girls called on Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Rosenberg and Kevin and Mr. and Mrs. Greg Trundy and girls, South Paris, called on Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg, Sunday. Relatives from Massachusetts were week end guests of the Rosenbergs.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Tyler and family, Dixfield, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cox and girls, East Bethel, were Monday lunch guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary.

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS

Do you eat when you're not hungry? Do you go on eating for no apparent reason? Do you have feelings of guilt after overeating? Do you give too much time and thought to food? Do you look forward to the time when you can binge alone? Do you plan these secret eating binges ahead of time? Do you eat sensibly before others, but overeat when alone?

Is your weight affecting the way you feel about yourself? Have you ever vowed to diet for a week, but given up after two days? Do you eat to make yourself feel better when you have problems? Have you avoided seeing a physician because you're afraid he'll put you on a diet? Have you put off buying clothes because you're ashamed of your weight?

How did you score. If you answered "yes" to three or more of the above questions, you are either a compulsive eater or on your way to becoming one.

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G. ELMER HAYES

G. Elmer (Bill) Hayes of Greenwood, died Monday, Feb. 20, 1978, at Ledgeview Nursing Home, West Paris, following a long period of failing health.

He was born at Greenwood, Sept. 17, 1901, the son of George and Anna Rowe Hayes. He attended Greenwood schools and worked as a woodsman, farmer and did carpentry work. Mr. Hayes was a 60-year member of Franklin Grange at Bryant Pond.

Surviving are a brother, Roland of Greenwood and a sister, Mrs. Eva Yates, Bethel.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at the I. W. Andrews & Son funeral home, in South Woodstock, with spring interment at the Wayside Cemetery, West Paris.

ELLIOTT M. HUNT

Elliott M. Hunt, Norway, died unexpectedly Monday, Feb. 20, 1978, following a seizure while driving his car on Route 26 in Oxford.

He was born at Greenwood, May 9, 1914, the son of Clark and Hazel White Hunt. He graduated from Norway High School in the class of 1932 and was married to Gertrude (Dukie) Dussault, May 9, 1939. She died Oct. 16, 1977.

Mr. Hunt owned and operated Hunt's Service Station and Variety Store at the corner of Main and Fair streets for 25 years and had formerly worked for the State Liquor Commission's Norway store for 12 years. He served in the U. S. Army as staff sergeant in intelligence during World War II and was a life member of the Stone-Smart AL Post, Norway.

He was a member of Oxford Lodge AF and AM, and the Royal Arch Chapter and Fish and Game Association, all of Norway, and the Maine State Employees Assn.

He owned and showed horses and was a member of the New England Horsemen's Council, New England Horse Association, Maine Morgan Club, American Saddlebred Association of Maine and was an affiliated member of the American Horse Shows Association, Inc. He had been a director of the Oxford Agricultural Society since 1961.

Mr. Hunt was recently appointed divisional state humane agent by the Department of Agriculture in Maine animal welfare. He was active in that capacity at the time of his death. He had been active in Republican politics in Norway and Oxford County for a number of years.

His nearest survivor is a sister, Mrs. Nolan (Doris) Jackson, Norway.

Funeral services are being held this Thursday afternoon at the Second Congregational Church in Norway, with spring interment at Riverside Cemetery, South Paris.

DIED

In Berlin, N. H., Feb. 18, Harold I. Fleming of West Bethel, aged 86 years.

In Norway, Feb. 20, Elliott M. Hunt, aged 63 years.

In Norway, Feb. 20, Mrs. Jessie W. Reid, of West Paris, aged 89 years.

In West Paris, Feb. 20, G. Elmer Hayes of Greenwood, aged 76 years.

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